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Cross Reference to Related Applications CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or Paper Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, Statements verifying identity of above copies or a computer program listing appendix **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) **Detailed Description** - Claim(s) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of 10. - Abstract of the Disclosure Attorney (when there is an assignee) 20 X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) Information Disclosure Copies of IDS 5. Oath or Declaration 5 [Total Sheets 12. Х Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Newly executed (original or copy) 13. Preliminary Amendment Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) Х 14. (Should be specifically itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)** 15. (if foreign priority is claimed) Signed statement attached deteting inventor(s) Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). named in the prior application. 16. see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. Check 17. Other: Х 6. X Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: x Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/811.261 filed 03/16/2001 William T. Leader 1742 Prior application information: Examiner Art Unit: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Customer Number: 25096 Correspondence address below Name Address City Zip Code Country Telephone Name (Print/Type) Paul T. Parker Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 38,264

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